

## CHAPTER 454—H. F. No. 618.

*An act legalizing and making valid and effectual certain assignments, sales and transfers of wages or salary in cases where the requirements of Section 3858, General Statutes, 1913, relating to the giving of written notice and the performance of other acts by the assignee thereof, have not been complied within.*

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

Section 1. **Certain assignment, sales and transfers of wages legalized.**—That any and all assignments, sales or transfers of any wages or salary heretofore earned where no written notice, and copy of the instrument, assigning or transferring such wages or salary, or either of them, was given within three days after the making of such instrument to the person, firm or corporation from whom such wages or salary have accrued or are accruing, or where the requirements of section 3858, General Statutes, 1913, have not been complied with, are hereby legalized, confirmed and validated, and all such assignments are hereby made valid and enforceable by or against any such person, firm or corporation from whom such salary or wages have accrued or are accruing, as fully and to the same extent as if the acts hereinbefore referred to had been performed. Provided that nothing in this act shall be held to apply to or effect any action heretofore commenced or now pending in any of the courts of this state.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 20, 1917.

## CHAPTER 455—H. F. No. 742.

*An act relating to bonds required by petitioners in proceedings for the establishment of drainage ditches imposing a limitation upon the obligation of the county in such proceedings.*

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

Section 1. **Expense to survey in ditch proceedings not to exceed certain limit.**—In all drainage ditch proceedings in which a survey of the line of the proposed ditch has been directed by order of the court or county board, the expense of such survey shall not exceed the penalty named in the bond given by the petitioners in said proceeding and no claims in excess of such amount shall be audited or paid by direction of the court or board unless in any such proceeding one or more of the petitioners therein shall within such time as the county board, in

case of a county ditch, or the court, in case of a judicial ditch, shall direct, make and file a bond with sufficient sureties in such amount as such county board or court shall direct, conditioned as required by section 5525, General Statutes 1913.

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CHAPTER 456—H. F. No. 831.

*An act relating to the salary of county surveyors, their deputies and other assistants, in counties having an area of more than 2,500 square miles, and having an assessed valuation of more than twenty million dollars and less than fifty million dollars.*

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

**Section 1. \$1,600 salary for county surveyor of Itasca county.**—In each county of this state now or hereafter having an area of more than 2500 square miles, and now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of more than twenty million dollars and less than fifty million dollars, the county surveyor shall receive from such county an annual salary of sixteen hundred dollars, in full payment for all services performed, which shall be paid in equal monthly installments out of the county treasury upon warrants of the county auditor, in the same manner as other county officers are paid, and in addition thereto the county surveyor in such counties shall be allowed and paid from the county treasury the actual expenses necessarily incurred in the performance of his services.

**Sec. 2. Selection of deputy at \$5 per day, and other assistants.**—The county surveyor in any such county may appoint one deputy, who shall receive as compensation for his services the sum of five dollars per day for each day spent by him in the performance of his duties. On application of the county surveyor, the board of county commissioners in such county may designate the number of such other deputies as the board may deem necessary, at the same salary as the first deputy, and the county surveyor shall thereupon appoint such additional deputies in the number so designated, and he may discharge them at pleasure. The county surveyor may also select and appoint as many axmen, chainmen, and rodmen as may be necessary for the proper performance of the duties of himself and his deputies, who shall receive such compensation as may be determined by the county board.

**Sec. 3. Inconsistent acts repealed.**—All acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

**Sec. 4.** This act shall be in force from and after May 1, 1917.

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